

Alaska Local and Regional Information

Workforce Info

Juneau

Juneau is a united home rule municipality located on the mainland of Southeast Alaska. It is supported largely by state and federal government employment and tourism. It is the third largest community in Alaska. Juneau is part of the Juneau City and Borough.

- ♦ The estimated population for 2008 was 30,427, a loss of about 284 since the 2000 Census.
- ♦ About 68 percent of the resident population 16+ years old worked in 2008.
- ♦ State Government was the main industry in 2008, employing 26 percent of the area's workers.
- ♦ More workers were employed as Retail Salespersons than any other occupation.

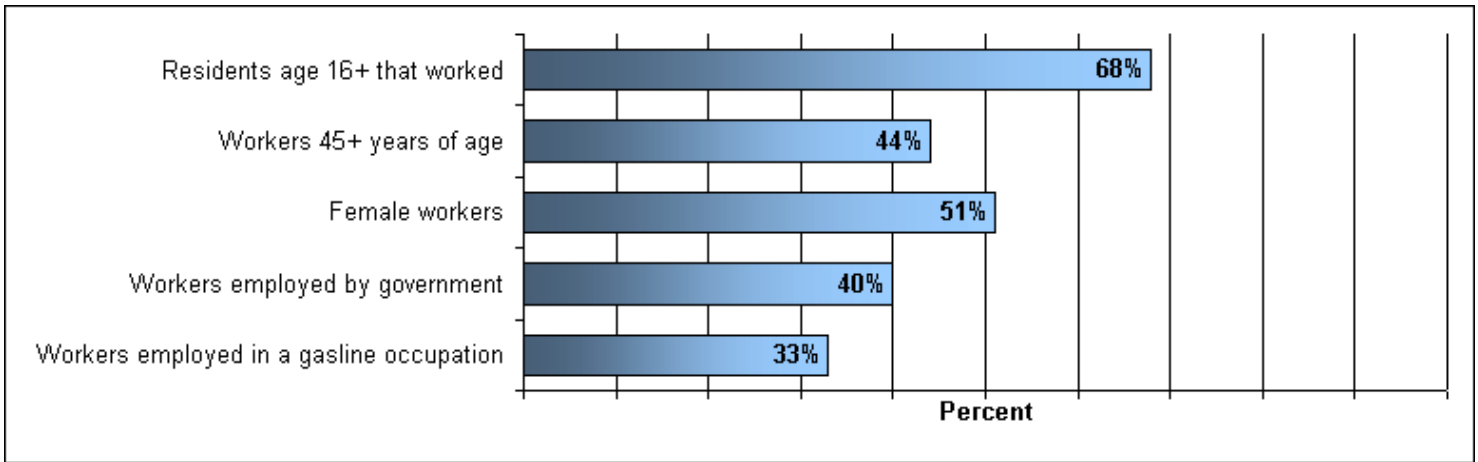
Please note: There is an important distinction between the local/regional employment data and our "standard" employment series. Most of these data reflect totals for area residents only. Total worker counts may be lower than expected in areas with a large number of nonresident workers. The Alaska Permanent Fund dividend file is used to determine the worker's geographic residence. Only Alaska residents (as defined by PFD application) are included in these totals. Also note that federal employees, the military, and the self-employed are not included in these data.

Juneau Resident Snapshot (2008)

Working Age Residents		Wages	
Residents age 16+	22,822	Total wages	\$561,272,879
Resident Worker Characteristics		Resident Workers by Sector	
Total	15,601	Private	9,312
Male	7,638	State government	4,080
Female	7,950	Local government	2,209
Age 45+	6,842	Quarterly Number of Resident Workers	
Age 50+	4,842	Peak (3rd) quarter workers	14,266
		Percent working all 4 quarters	72.9%
Unemployment		Construction/AGIA Occupation Experience (2004-2008)	
UI Claimants	1,501	Some construction	1,913
		At least 1 year construction	1,203
New Hires		At least 2 years construction	839
New hires	4,896	Worked in an AGIA occupation	10,132

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2008 Residents

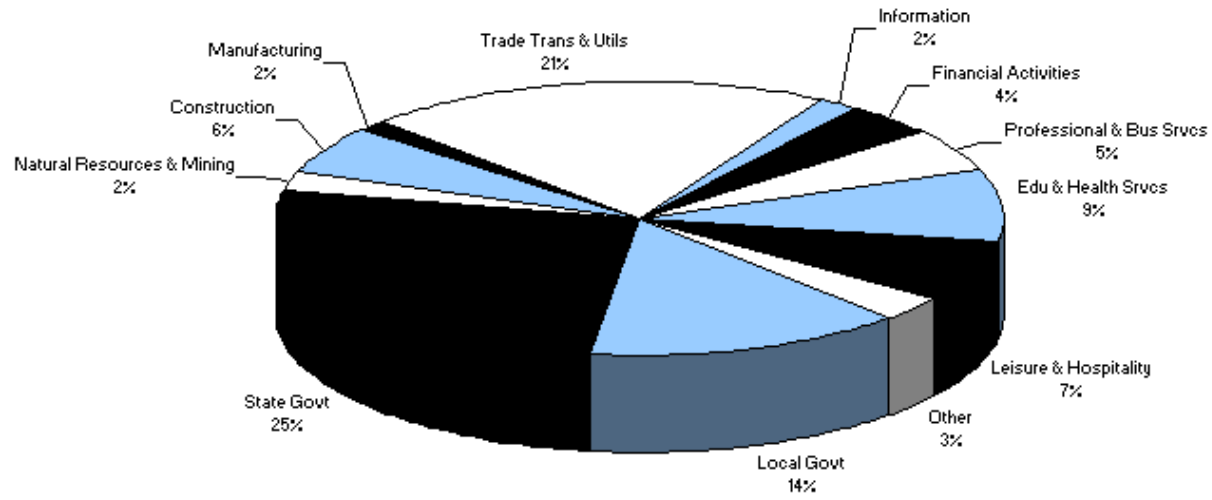


Top Occupations

	Number employed	Percent female	Age 45+	Age 50+
Retail Salespersons	631	62.4%	174	135
Office Clerks, General AGIA	455	76.9%	166	125
Bookkeeping, Accounting, and Auditing Clerks AGIA HOT JOB	408	80.9%	188	124
Cashiers	327	58.6%	82	53
Combined Food Preparation and Serving Workers, Including Fast Food	327	51.4%	43	26
Executive Secretaries and Administrative Assistants AGIA HOT JOB	321	85.0%	161	109
Office and Administrative Support Workers, All Other AGIA	282	77.3%	97	62
Construction Laborers AGIA HOT JOB	279	3.9%	102	58
Janitors and Cleaners, Except Maids and Housekeeping Cleaners AGIA	230	15.2%	137	89
Accountants and Auditors HOT JOB	228	76.8%	129	82
General and Operations Managers	207	34.8%	119	74
Administrative Services Managers	206	71.8%	133	90
Teacher Assistants	174	83.9%	86	63
Registered Nurses HOT JOB	168	92.3%	114	82
Computer Programmers AGIA	154	26.6%	85	64
First-Line Supervisors/Managers of Office and Administrative Support Workers AGIA	150	72.7%	93	63
Stock Clerks and Order Fillers AGIA	147	24.5%	40	23
Elementary School Teachers, Except Special Education HOT JOB	143	83.2%	70	50
Receptionists and Information Clerks AGIA	143	88.1%	40	32
Sales and Related Workers, All Other	142	32.4%	42	30

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Resident Workers by Industry



Workers by Industry

	Number employed	Percent female	Age 45+	Age 50+
Natural Resources and Mining	316	15.2%	126	78
Construction	867	10.4%	325	213
Manufacturing	234	27.9%	75	48
Trade, Transportation and Utilities	3,242	41.4%	1,038	721
Information	287	38.9%	106	74
Financial Activities	636	57.5%	237	143
Professional and Business Services	771	45.5%	300	224
Educational and Health Services	1,358	75.4%	587	428
Leisure and Hospitality	1,116	51.8%	293	202
State Government	4,080	57.2%	2,343	1,692
Local Government	2,209	61.7%	1,201	849
Other	474	58.6%	206	166
Unknown	11	9.1%	5	4

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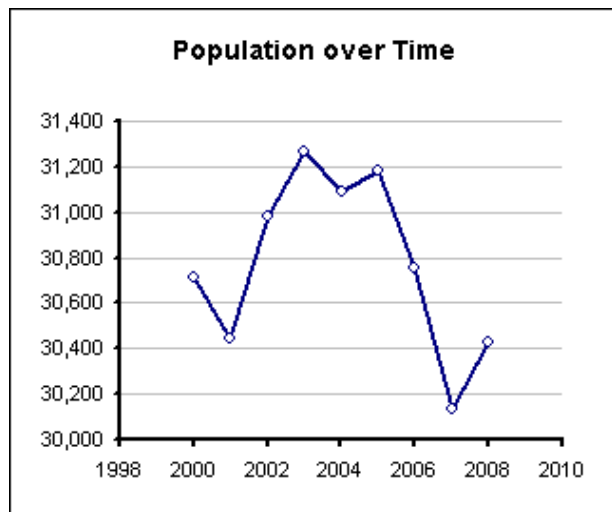
Recent Unemployment Statistics

	09/2009	10/2009	11/2009	12/2009
UI Claimants**	596	730	832	936

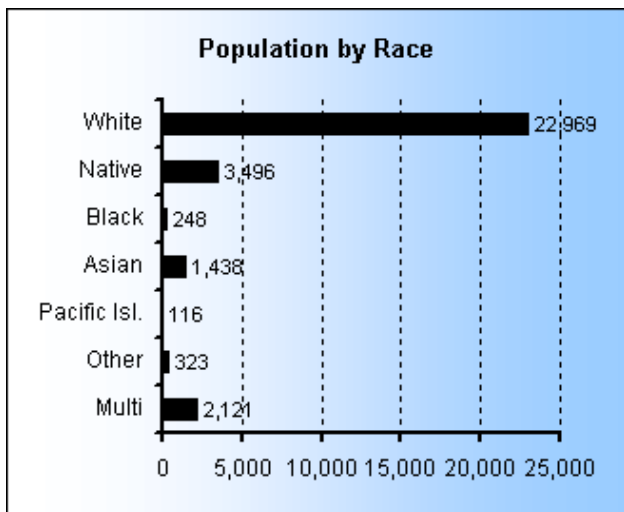
**UI claimants are individuals in this area who had an active claim at any time during the month.

Top Employers (ranked by number of workers)

State of AK (excludes U of A)
Juneau School Dist City of
Juneau City & Borough
Bartlett Regional Hospital
University of AK
Fred Meyer Stores Inc
Wal-Mart Associates Inc
Reach Inc
Southeast Alaska Regional Health Consortium
Hecla Greens Creek Mining Company



2000 Census	
Median Age	35.3
Average Family Size	3.1
Average Household Size	2.6
Per Capita Income	\$26,719
Median Family Income	\$70,284
Median Household Income	\$62,034



(Note: Racial classification is based on self identification. The "Multi" category consists of those who claim to be members of more than one race. The "Native" category includes Alaska Natives and American Indians.)

Source: Alaska Department of Labor and Workforce Development, Research and Analysis Section
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